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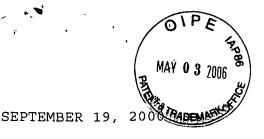
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## **ASSIGNMENT**

The Arizona Board of Regents on behalf of the University of Arizona, a nonprofit educational institution with offices located at 1501 North Campbell Avenue, Tucson, AZ (the "Board"), is the assignee of an invention relating to ENDOVASCULAR GRAFT COATINGS and an application for United States Letters Patent based thereon and identified by attorney's File No. 9896.143.0, and naming the following inventors: Stuart K. Williams and David L. Clapper, S.N 09/519246, filed March 6, 2000. The Board hereby authorizes and requests its attorney, Philip M. Goldman of 1100 International Centre, 900 Second Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, to insert the application number of said application when known.

In exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is acknowledged, the Board hereby assigns to SurModics, Inc., a Minnesota corporation having its principal place of business at 9924 West 74th Street, Eden Prairie, Minnesota 55344-3523, its successors and assigns, an undivided one-half interest:

- (1) In the above-identified invention and application;
- (2) In any United States or foreign Letters Patents which may issue with respect to the above-identified invention;
- (3) In any renewals, reissues, extensions, substitutions, continuations, continuations-in-part, or divisions that may be filed with respect to the above-identified invention and application; and
- (4) The right to apply for Letters Patents in foreign countries and to claim any priority rights to which such foreign applications are entitled under international conventions, treaties or otherwise.

The Board further agrees to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments or other documents and to perform such other lawful acts as SurModics, Inc., its successors and assigns may deem necessary to secure its rights, title or interest as outlined herein.

The Board authorizes and requests the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue to the Arizona Board of Regents on behalf of the University of Arizona and to SurModics, Inc. any Letters Patents which may be granted in accordance with this Assignment.

Dated this 10th day of March, 2000.

THE ARIZONA BOARD OF REGENTS ON BEHALF OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

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We, Stuart K. Williams and David L. Clapper, citizens of the United States, residing at 5181 N. Circulo Sobrio, Tucson, AZ 85718 and 6110 Chestnut Terrace, Shorewood, MN 55331, respectively, have made an invention relating to ENDOVASCULAR GRAFT COATINGS and have executed an application for United States Letters Patent based thereon and identified by attorney's File No. 9896.143, and naming the following inventors: Stuart K. Williams and David L. Clapper, S.N 09/519246, filed March 6, 2000. We hereby authorize and request our attorney, Philip M. Goldman of 1100 International Centre, 900 Second Avenue South, Minneapolis, Minnesota 55402, to insert the application number of said application when known.

In exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which we now acknowledge, we hereby assign to The Arizona Board of Regents on behalf of the University of Arizona, a nonprofit educational institution with offices located at 1501 North Campbell Avenue, Tucson, AZ, its successors and assigns:

- (1) The entire right, title and interest to the above-identified invention and application;
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We further agree for ourselves and for our heirs, executors and administrators, to execute and deliver without further consideration any further applications, assignments or other documents and to perform such other lawful acts as The Arizona Board of Regents on behalf of the University of Arizona, its successors and assigns may deem necessary to fully secure its rights, title or interest as outlined herein.

We hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue to The Arizona Board of Regents on behalf of the University of Arizona any Letters Patents which may be granted in accordance with this Assignment.

Stuart K. Williams

March 21, 2000.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of Murcle, 2000

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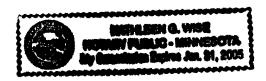
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